

2016 Candidate Qualifying List

Pursuant to statute, the State Board of Election Commissioners must determine whether each Independent candidate and Political Party Nominee meets the qualifications for office prior to his or her name being placed upon the ballot for the 2015 General Election. **Political Party Candidates qualify with the respective Political Party and are listed as submitted to the Secretary of State's Office.**

Non-Partisan Judicial Candidates for the November 2016 General Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
Kenny	Griffis	Supreme Court	1, Place 3
Jim	Kitchens	Supreme Court	1, Place 3
Jimmy	Maxwell	Supreme Court	3, Place 2
Ceola	James	Court of Appeals	2, Place 2
David	Ishee	Court of Appeals	5, Place 2

Non-Partisan Judicial Candidates for the November 2016 Special Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
T.K.	Moffett	Chancery Judge	1, Place 4
John	McLaurin	Chancery Judge	20, Place 1
Jim	Nix	Chancery Judge	20, Place 1
Justin M.	Cobb	Circuit Judge	10, Place 1

Democratic Candidates for the March 2016 Primary Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
Jacob	Owens	U.S. Representative	1 (General Election only)
Bennie	Thompson	U.S. Representative	2 (General Election only)
Dennis	Quinn	U.S. Representative	3
Nathan	Stewart	U.S. Representative	3
Mark	Gladney	U.S. Representative	4 (General Election only)

Libertarian Candidates for the November 2016 General Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
Chase	Wilson	U.S. Representative	1
Richard Blake	McCluskey	U.S. Representative	4

Reform Candidates for the November 2016 General Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
Cathy L.	Toole	U.S. Representative	1
Johnny	McLeod	U.S. Representative	2
Lajena	Sheets	U.S. Representative	3
Shawn	O'Hara	U.S. Representative	4

Republican Candidates for the March 2016 Primary Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
Paul	Clever	U.S. Representative	1
Trent	Kelly	U.S. Representative	1
John	Bouie, II	U.S. Representative	2 (General Election only)
Jimmy	Giles	U.S. Representative	3
Gregg	Harper	U.S. Representative	3
Steven	Palazzo	U.S. Representative	4 (General Election only)

Independent Candidates for the November 2016 General Election:

First Name	Last Name	Office	District
Troy	Ray	United States Representative	2